

# 2013

# Construction Opportunities Conference

Thursday, February 28 • New Hope Center (Y-12), 602 Scarboro Road, Oak Ridge  
Hosted by the Y-12 National Security Complex

7 a.m.	Conference Registration	11 a.m.	How to Put Together Joint Ventures and Teaming Agreements <i>Cavanaugh Mims, President Visionary Solutions, LLC, Oak Ridge Kirste L. Webb, Business Development Visionary Solutions, LLC, Oak Ridge David Rose, Attorney at Law Rose Consulting Law Firm, Duluth, Ga.</i>
7:55 a.m.	Introductions	12 p.m.	Lunch
8:15 a.m.	UPF Construction Opportunities <i>Richard Brown, Procurement Director Uranium Processing Facility, Oak Ridge Lynn Nolan, UPF Construction</i>	1 p.m.	Doing Business with the National Park Service <i>Jonathan Gibb, Lead Contracting Officer National Park Service Major Acquisition Buying Office Great Smoky Mountains National Park</i>
8:45 a.m.	Doing Business with the Corps of Engineers <i>Roy Rossignol, Small Business Specialist Corps of Engineers, Nashville</i>	1:30 p.m.	Prime Contractors Panel <i>Moderator: Mark Deathridge, CEO East Tennessee Mechanical Contractors, Knoxville</i>
9:15 a.m.	Bid Estimating Strategies <i>Victor Tyler, President Tyler Construction Engineers, Nashville</i>	2:30 p.m.	UCOR Construction Opportunities <i>Vince Maivelett, Manager of Project Services UCOR, Oak Ridge</i>
9:45 a.m.	Project Management Fundamentals <i>Rodney Grubb, PE, PMP, PEM, President RMX Technologies, LLC, Knoxville</i>	3 p.m.	Conference Wrap-up
10:30 a.m.	SBA Surety Bond Guarantee Program <i>Moderator: Keri Wolfe Business Opportunity Specialist Small Business Administration, Nashville Phil Condra, Senior Vice-President Bonds Southeast, Inc., Nashville Chad Martin, Bond Manager TIS Insurance Services, Knoxville</i>		

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